



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 8977**
Kazumasa KAMACHI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0024A
Serial No. 10/564,483 : Group Art Unit 1724
Filed March 14, 2007 : Examiner Fred G. Prince

PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR
ANAEROBIC TREATMENT OF SULFUR
COMPOUND-CONTAINING
WASTEWATER : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of September 20, 2007, the time for responding thereto being extended for one month in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975